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Sir:

A Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due was mailed in the above-captioned case on January 19, 2007. This request is being submitted with the payment of the issue fee.

Applicant requests the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to enter the Amendments submitted under 37 CFR § 1.312 for the following reasons:

The paragraph at page 5, lines 6-8 refers to a "FIG. 10". However, there is no FIG. 10 in the application. Therefore, this error is being corrected by this amendment

Claims 8 and 23 are being amended to insert the term "tear" to provide proper antecedent basis and for clarity. Support for the amendment is found at page 15, lines 5-12 of the Specification. No new matter is added.